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FOR: SILICON CARBIDE
THERMOSTABLE POROUS
STRUCTURAL MATERIAL AND
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME

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AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 25, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.